

Chicago Chopin Foundation

WHY CHOPIN

In 2010, the world celebrated the bicentennial of Frédéric Chopin's birth, one of the greatest composers of all time who created modern piano music as we know it today. All over the world, classical music enthusiasts of all nationalities on every continent celebrated this important milestone.

Frédéric Chopin was born on March 1, 1810, near Warsaw, Poland. In honor of Chopin's legacy to the world of music, ***Chicago Chopin Foundation*** and the people of Chicago want to "bring Chopin to our city" and erect a bronze replica of the famous monument in Warsaw. The most desirable location would be Chicago's downtown with an area for listening

and performing classical and contemporary music at the foot of the monument.

WHY CHICAGO

Chicago is a global city with a diverse and cultural interest and also a sizable Polish population. Chopin is adored by enthusiasts of every creed, nation and culture.

Our goal is to make the monument site a classical music venue under the open sky, in the unique Chicago city environment. We believe in creating a new forum in Chicago where Chopin's music can be heard as it is in Europe where crowds gather to listen to world renowned artists. Erecting the monument will be a tribute not only to Chopin but to all great musicians.

HOW YOU CAN HELP

There are several ways that you can support and participate in the project.

*Come join us – be a part of our organization!
Spread the word about our project.*

We appreciate your financial support. Visit our website to donate by credit card / PayPal,

www.ChopinMonumentInChicago.com

You can pledge sponsorship, or an endowment to promote Chopin's monument, music, and legacy.

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Chopin

**Fryderyk Franciszek Chopin
(1810-1849)**

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We Thank You for Your Generosity

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"Chicago Chopin Foundation"**

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Our Mission...

Chicago Chopin Foundation, Inc. is a non-profit organization. Our mission is to erect a replica in bronze of the original Warsaw monument of Chopin with an area to accommodate both the audience and the artists, and to promote Chopin's music for many years to come.

***Chopin
Poland's Gift to the World***

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